

Astronomy Weekend at Ocotillo Wells

 **Hot Stars & Heavenly Bodies Astronomical Nights** 



FRIDAY MARCH 20, 2015



Discovery Center Extended Hours

8am-10pm

Explore our Discovery Center during extended hours!



Solar Imaging @ Discovery Center

2:30-4:30pm

Search for solar flares and sun spots using enhanced imaging.



Steve Matousek, Jet Propulsion Lab @ Amphitheater

6pm

Mr. Matousek is the Advanced Concept Development Manager at JPL

Find out about the robotic exploration of Mars!



Galactic Adventures for Kids @ Discovery Center

6-9pm

Calling all kids! Fast, fun, & fascinating activity.

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Telescope Viewing @ Amphitheater

7-11pm

Check out the night skies with our guest astronomers!



Fact or Fiction: The Search for Aliens @ Amphitheater 8 pm

Share your thoughts on the possibility of life in our universe.



SATURDAY MARCH 21, 2015



Discovery Center Extended Hours

8am-10pm

Explore our Discovery Center during extended hours!



Mini Ranger Program @ Discovery Center

10:30am

Our Galactic Neighbors! For kids ages 3-6.



Jr. Ranger Program @ Discovery Center

11:30am

Ready...Set...Blastoff! For kids ages 7-12.



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Solar Telescope @ Discovery Center

12-4pm

Search for solar flares and sun spots.



Rocket Mania @ Denner ATV Training Track

1-3:30pm

For kids ages 7-12. Parental supervision required!



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Telescope Viewing @ Amphitheater

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Fact or Fiction: Near-Earth Objects @ Amphitheater

8 pm

Discuss what we could really do if a giant asteroid was headed to Earth.

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SUNDAY MARCH 22, 2015



Gnarly Beasts of the Past @ Gas Domes

10am-2pm

Giant prehistoric bears, sharks, sloths & cats.



Upcoming Off-Highway Adventure Tours

Gnarly Beasts of the Past

Scorpion Safari

MONDAY, MARCH 30 9am-2pm

FRIDAY, MARCH 27 7-10pm

Imagine a savannah rich with vegetation and incredible critters!

Join us on a jaw-dropping tour through OW as we go in search of scorpions, beetles, spiders, and more!

These tours meet at the Discovery Center off Ranger Station Road.

Come prepared with a high clearance 4WD vehicle, water and snacks. Please be willing to carpool.



California State Parks supports equal access. Prior to arrival, visitors with disabilities who need assistance should call (760) 767-5393 or 711, TTY relay service.
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